June 23, 2005

TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Herewith I return to you Conference Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 13 entitled:

AN ACT

To appropriate money for real property leases, related services, utilities, systems furniture, and structural modifications for the several departments of state government and the divisions and programs thereof to be expended only as provided in Article IV, Section 28 of the Constitution of Missouri, and to appropriate money for capital improvements and the other expenses of the Office of Administration and the divisions and programs thereof, and to transfer money among certain funds for the period beginning July 1, 2005 and ending June 30, 2006.

Section 13.137

I hereby veto \$155,760 for leasing costs of the Office of the State Public Defender System. This veto is necessary to ensure a balanced budget.

Said section is vetoed in its entirety by \$155,760 to \$0 from General Revenue. From \$155,760 to \$0 in total for the section.

On June 23, 2005 I approved said Conference Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 13, except for those items specifically vetoed and not approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Matt Blunt Governor